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## ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERS OF A. & M. COLLEGE

Were Awarded Second Prize in International Contest for Plans of Big Building in Mexico.

Recently the Banco de la Laguna, of Torreon, Mexico, with a capital stock of \$6,000,000, asked for plans from architects in competition for a banking and office building of four stories, to cost when completed \$125,000. Among the large number of architects submitting plans were F. E. Giesecke, professor of architectural engineering and drawing of A. & M. college, and James Somerville Dean, a graduate of the college, graduating from the department of architecture and drawing under the instruction of Mr. Giesecke. These two teacher and former pupil, collaborated on a set of plans for the big building. They have just been advised that the award for the plans accepted went to an architectural firm in Indianapolis, but that they have been awarded the second prize, which is \$1000 in cash.

As Mr. Giesecke himself is a graduate of the college in which he is now the head of a department, and as Mr. Dean, who is associated with him in the winning of this prize, is a graduate of his department, the college authorities are very proud of the work of the architectural instruction that is given here.

It is understood that a large number of architects in the United States were participants in this competition.

## FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN

Washington, April 1.—(Copyrighted, 1911, by W. T. Foster.)—Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturbance to cross continent March 29 to April 2, warm wave March 28 to April 1, cool wave March 31 to April 4. The principal feature of this disturbance was predicted to be a great high temperature wave, followed by a great fall in temperature and by a week of unusually cold weather with rains in many places in the states and Canada.

In the bulletin for March 25 the rainfall for Canada and the states for the month of April was given. That bulletin should be preserved for reference. This first disturbance of April will, as stated above, cause rains in many places, but not in those sections for which dry weather was predicted for April. The rains mentioned above will therefore probably occur principally outside of the dry sections mentioned in the bulletin of March 25.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about April 2, cross Pacific slope by close of 3d, great central valleys 4th to 6th, Eastern sections 7th. Warm wave will cross Pacific slope about April 2, great central valleys 4th, Eastern sections 6th. Cool wave will cross Pacific slope about April 5, great central valleys 7th, Eastern sections 9th.

The warm wave of this disturbance will not be very warm, while the cool waves preceding and following will go to unusually low temperatures, making the week that will center on the warm wave average very cool. Rains may be expected from this disturbance in the April rain sections described in the bulletin of March 25.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about April 8, cross Pacific slope by close of 9th, great central valleys 10th to 12th, Eastern sections 13th. Warm wave will cross Pacific slope about April 8, great central valleys 10th, Eastern sections 12th. Cool wave will cross Pacific slope about April 11, great central valleys 13th, Eastern sections 15th.

This will be one of the most important disturbances of the season, because it will inaugurate a splendid period of crop weather. Excessive rains will, to a large extent, cease and warm, growing weather that will make the farmer's pulse beat with greater regularity will come in and hold good for most of the month.

The cool wave preceding this storm center will go near the frost line in Northern sections, following which a high temperature wave will cross the continent. As that warm wave nears Eastern sections the storm forces will increase and weather features become more marked. The cool wave following will be moderate.

### Science Notes.

The United States weather bureau aspires to long-range forecasts. Glad to note the progress. Not long ago the professors of that institution, with but one or two exceptions, ridiculed all efforts to forecast the weather more than two days in advance.

The theory on which the administration of our United States weather bureau directs its investigations is that the force of the radiations from the sun varies, thereby causing our weather changes. Dr. Abbott is the author of that theory, and for many years carried on his investigations at the Smithsonian Institution and later at Mount Weather, which belongs to the United States weather bureau.

This work has already cost immense sums of money. But who dare criticize the effort. If Dr. Abbott discover the cause of our weather changes and work out a system that would forecast the general weather changes a year in advance he would immediately take place as the greatest scientist of the present age, and be hailed as the world's greatest benefactor. I hope congress will give him ample funds and let his work go on. But I see many reasons for differing from his theories. The causes of our weather changes have all been discovered. They were found by analyzing a hundred temperature and rainfall records covering fifty to one hundred years. How does Dr. Abbott hope to formulate a system of forecasting without using records? Does he propose to wait fifty years in order to compile records of the sun's variations? How can he get into the sun so as to get at the causes in the sun that bring on the sun's variations?

### Accepts College Presidency.

[By Associated Press.]

Jacksonville, Texas, April 1.—Rev. John M. Barcus, of Weatherford, announces that he will accept the presidency of the Alexander Collegiate Institute located here. He will take charge on the opening of next term.



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## IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

### Woman's Club Held Last Meeting of Club Year on Wednesday

When the club doors were opened on Wednesday, behold! Spring was there in all her beauty and splendor, represented by seventeen ladies. This was the last meeting for the club year 1910-11, and the writer feels certain that no year in the history of the club has been more profitable or pleasant than has this one under the very able leadership of Mrs. Rayson. With the beginning of October the club took up the study of that ever famous comedy, "Merry Wives of Windsor," with questions and outlines furnished by Miss Friend; and when the holidays arrived we found ourselves on very friendly terms with that merry old Jack Falstaff, Mistress Page and Mistress Ford.

After that little comedy, we took up the study of King Henry V, said to be Shakespeare's favorite hero. With the 22d of March our lessons were finished, so Wednesday's meeting was given over to final reports from the different officers and the election of officers for the ensuing term. The name of Mrs. J. A. Myers was presented for membership and she was unanimously elected.

The election of officers resulted as follows:  
President—Mrs. John Astin.  
Vice President—Mrs. Webb Howell.  
Recording Secretary—Mrs. W. S. Wilson.  
Treasurer—Mrs. John Hines.  
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Liebold.

Critic—Mrs. W. P. Bryan.  
Parliamentarian—Mrs. A. M. Waldrop.  
Reporter—Mrs. M. W. Sims.  
Mrs. Rayson in her own gracious manner spoke from out of her heart and before presenting the gavel to the newly elected president gave to the ladies a recipe for enjoying life, which read as follows:

"If you can't make any headway, And each day seems like a dead day, And the thorns begin to pierce till your nerves are shattered, racked—  
Stop a bit, and quaffing From the bottle labelled 'Laughing,' Drink your fill, then start over. 'Tis a tonic, for a fact."

"Are you grumpy? Are you jaded? Do you feel all worn and jaded? Every time some fresh work doth you claim?  
Have you lost the thing called tact? Try a cup of sunny chaffing. Sweetened up with merry laughing. 'Tis the best thing on the market for a tonic, for a fact."

The afternoon closed with the serving of delicious cream and cake, and each lady took her departure feeling—  
"This world that we are living in Is mighty hard to beat; We get a thorn with every rose, But ain't the roses sweet?"

### Miss Thomas Entertained Friends at Delightful Musicale Wednesday Afternoon

Perfect in ensemble and detail was the musicale given on Wednesday afternoon by Miss Emily Thomas. As is always the case in this home and with this gracious hostess, the affair was replete with charm and graceful hospitality. The guests were given cordial greetings in the hall by the hostess, who was dressed in a handsome pink messaline. Fragrant blossoms and potted plants were used with artistic effect in the floral embellishment of the reception suite.

The roses were exceptionally beautiful and reflected discrimination in their harmonious arrangement. As the guests arrived they were given seats in the library, where they were most royally entertained by the classical music and readings so beautifully rendered. Those taking part are artists in their respective lines and show

they have been well trained in their art. The pleasures of the guests were manifested by the interested attention and the liberal applause that followed each number. The refreshments were quite delicious, consisting of cream served with angel food cake, each plate made dainty with a spray of maiden-hair fern. The hostess was assisted in her duties by her mother and sisters, Mesdames Sallie Thomas, Hilsman Wilson and Jim Thomas.

When the appointed time for departing came it seemed as if hours had been seconds, and the guests were warm in their praise of the afternoon's pleasures.

The programs were tied with pretty pink bows, and were in the form of little booklets, on the outside cover of which was inscribed these beautiful lines from "Twelfth Night":  
"That strain again—  
O, it came o'er my ear like the sweet sound  
That breathes upon a bank of violets,  
stealing and giving odor."

The inside leaves of the program contained the following numbers, which speak for themselves:  
(a) Chi vult la zingarella.... Paisiello  
(b) I'm wearin' aw'.... Arthur Foote  
Miss Mary McInnis

Nocturne.....Chopin  
Miss Lillian Webb

The Daily Question....Meyer Heilmund  
Miss Gussie Buchanan

Alr De Ballet.....Chaminade  
Miss Mae Wilson

(a) All That I Ask Is Love.....Metcalfe  
Miss Hettie Smith

Etude.....Chopin  
Miss Lucille Batte

Reading.....Miss Anita Park

Venetian Love Song.....Nevin  
Miss Irene Board

(a) The Post.....Schubert  
(b) The Rosary.....Nevin  
Mrs. George A. Adams

### Miss James Compliments Miss Rayson with "Announcement Party"

One of the most delightful of recent events, and one of the surprises of the season, was the beautiful announcement party on Thursday afternoon given by Miss Corinne James when she announced the engagement of Miss Lynn Rayson to Mr. Elmer Russell, of Matador, the wedding to take place in June. Quite a number of girls were invited to this hospitable home for an afternoon with cards. Miss Corinne received her assembled guests with all the cordiality and friendliness for which she is noted. On entering, no one even suspected the secret which was afterward told, for the rooms were just simply and sweetly decorated with pretty spring blossoms, with here and there a handsome palm or fern that added to the attractiveness of the scene.

The progressive contest with cards was a veritable battle. Each contestant was so interested in playing that all thought of outside things was forgotten for the time, and the mind was on the playing of five hundred. That Miss Corinne is an ideal hostess has been demonstrated so often that the mere mention of her name in connection with a social function is a guarantee of a complete success; and so this was proven on this occasion, for after several games of cards the hostess threw back the sliding doors entering the dining room and there before the eyes of the guests was a beautiful picture that can never be forgotten. Loving hands of true friends had wrought wondrous beauties in the way of decorations. The color scheme was pink and white, very suggestive of an approaching marriage, but still the secret had not been told.

Dainty and charming were all decorative details and ensemble. In the center of the table under the festooned chandelier was a beautiful bride doll dressed in white and wearing a veil. Around the edge of the table were festoons of pink hearts, and placed on dainty lace doilies were bonbon dishes filled with delicious home-made confections. A cobweb made of tiny pink ribbons was woven in the doorway and attached to one end of each ribbon was a pink silken

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bag containing rice, which caused questions to follow rapidly. On unwinding the web each girl found on the opposite end of her ribbon a pink candied heart containing some pretty sentiment. Miss Corinne James found on her heart the following verse, which disclosed the secret to all:

"A Mr. Elmer Russell  
Has caused a dreadful bustle;  
In a certain doctor's home  
Something has been doing  
In the way of wooing  
For Lynn, in June, he will come!"

As the verse was finished the girls showered their true, good friend with the rice contained in the bags. Amid joyous laughter, pleasant sallies and ready repartee an hour quickly passed that was truly delightful to every participant. A buffet luncheon, consisting of chicken salad served in heart-shaped ramekins, heart-shaped sandwiches, crackers, pickles and iced tea, was passed.

The announcement of this approaching marriage will cause a flood of congratulations to pour upon the young couple. Miss Rayson is a girl of very sweet personality and rare accomplishments, and though her friends rejoice with her in her happiness, yet they regret to give her up, as she is a favorite with all.

The guests present included Misses Lynn Rayson, Ray Conway, Lucille Demaret, Lucille Batte, Clara Mawhinney, Pauline Webb, Sara Allen, Frances Davis, Gussie Buchanan, Nellie Cole, Emily Thomas, Helen Smith, Mae Wilson, Mary McInnis, Willie McDougald, Irene Board, Mesdames Jim Thomas, P. M. Rayson and R. O. Allen.

### Miss Smith Hostess to Embroidery Club at Weekly Meeting

The members of the Embroidery Club have every reason to remember the delightful afternoon spent on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall, when Mrs. Hall's niece, Miss Helen Smith, of Virginia, who has been spending the winter in Bryan, assumed the role of hostess. She has by her lovable disposition and charming manner won many lasting and true friends.

The elegant Hall home was charming with artistic decorations and the atmosphere was sweet with the friendly spirit of welcome and good cheer. For two hours the guests were very busy with their handwork, each member striving to finish some dainty article. Many ideas were exchanged and some handsome work was displayed.

Prior to returning home the guests were refreshed with an elegant ice cream served with angel food and macaroons.

Married in Iowa—  
Mr. C. M. Evans, superintendent of

the extension department of A. & M. college, returned last night from Iowa, and as a great surprise to his many friends brought his bride with him. He was married on March 28 to Miss Minnie Vess, of Topkinton, Ia., and they left at once for Texas, arriving last night. Mr. Evans did not take his friends into his confidence before going away and his marriage was a general surprise. However, all is forgiven and The Eagle is assured his dainty little bride will be given a most cordial reception into the social circles of College and Bryan.

### BUSINESS CHANGE.

#### H. R. Cavitt Sells Half Interest in Drug Business to Paris Smith.

Mr. Howard R. Cavitt has sold a one-half interest in his drug store to Mr. Paris Smith, of Childress, Texas, the deal having already taken effect. The style of the new firm is the Smith-Cavitt Drug Company, and the new firm has already perfected plans and made arrangements for some extensive improvements. Complete new fixtures will be installed throughout, a large and complete line of goods added, and the business converted into a modern, up-to-date drug establishment in every sense of the word.

Mr. Smith is a registered druggist, and comes to Bryan highly recommended as a thorough business man and gentleman. His wife will join him here in a short time, and The Eagle feels assured Mr. and Mrs. Smith will be graciously received by the people of Bryan.

Mr. Ernest Jones came to Bryan with Mr. Smith, having been in his employ at Childress, and has accepted a position with the new firm here. He is a pleasant little gentleman, courteous and polite to all patrons of the store.

Mr. Cavitt retains his interest in the business, but will not be actively connected with it. He will in the near future open a brokerage office, and in connection handle automobiles and perhaps some real estate. Mr. Cavitt has a host of friends in Bryan who wish for him much success in his new line.

### SEWER SYSTEM CONSTRUCTION IS PROGRESSING RAPIDLY.

The sewer system is being constructed rapidly. The work is now being pushed on the excavations for the main line and the septic tank. The ditch for the laying of the pipe will be completed to Bryan street from the septic tank by tonight, and the cement work on the tank will be finished in a few days.

As soon as the pipe is laid those on the line can commence to make connections, and many have already arranged for this to be done at once.